

Listing of Claims:

1. (Original) A luminal prosthesis comprising:
a scaffold which is implantable within a body lumen; and
means on the scaffold for releasing a substance, wherein the substance is released
over a predetermined time pattern comprising an initial phase wherein a substance delivery rate
is below a threshold level and a subsequent phase wherein the substance delivery rate is above a
threshold level.

2. (Original) A luminal prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein the scaffold is a
stent or graft.

3. (Original) A luminal prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein the scaffold is
implantable in a blood vessel.

4. (Withdrawn) A luminal prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein the means for
releasing the substance comprises a matrix formed over at least a portion of the scaffold.

5. (Withdrawn) A luminal prosthesis as in claim 4, wherein the matrix is
composed of a material which undergoes degradation in a vascular environment.

6. (Withdrawn) A luminal prosthesis as in claim 5, wherein the matrix
degrades by surface degradation.

7. (Withdrawn) A luminal prosthesis as in claim 5, wherein the matrix
degrades by bulk degradation.

8. (Withdrawn) An improved method for delivering a pharmacological agent
to an artery, said method being of the type where a prosthesis is implanted within the artery and
the prosthesis releases the pharmacological agent, wherein the improvement comprises
implanting a prosthesis that is programmed to begin substantial release of the pharmacological
agent beginning after growth of at least one layer of cells over a part of the prosthesis.

1 9. (Withdrawn) A method as in Claim 8, wherein the cells comprise
2 inflammatory, smooth muscle, or endothelial cells.

1 10. (Withdrawn) A method for luminal substance delivery, said method
2 comprising:
3 providing a luminal prosthesis incorporating or coupled to the substance, wherein
4 the prosthesis contains a matrix which undergoes degradation in a vascular environment; and
5 implanting the prosthesis in a body lumen so that at least a portion of the matrix
6 degrades over a predetermined time period and substantial substance release begins after the
7 matrix substantially begins to degrade.

1 11. (Withdrawn) A method as in Claim 10, wherein the substance is
2 incorporated in a reservoir in or on a scaffold and the reservoir is covered by the matrix so that
3 substantial substance release begins after the matrix has degraded sufficiently to uncover the
4 reservoir.

1 12. (Withdrawn) A method as in Claim 10, wherein the substance is contained
2 in the matrix and the matrix coats a scaffold, wherein an outer layer of the matrix is substantially
3 free from the substance so that substance release will not substantially begin until the outer layer
4 has degraded.

1 13. (Withdrawn) A method as in Claim 10, wherein the substance is contained
2 within or on a scaffold coated by the matrix.

1 14. (Withdrawn) A method as in Claim 10, wherein the prosthesis is coated
2 with the matrix by spraying, dipping, deposition, or painting.

1 15. (Withdrawn) A method as in Claim 10, wherein the prosthesis
2 incorporates the substance by coating, spraying, dipping, deposition, or painting the substance on
3 the prosthesis.

1 16. (Withdrawn) A method for treatment of a patient, comprising:
2 providing a vascular prosthesis comprising a structure and at least one source of at
3 least one therapeutic capable agent associated with the structure;
4 implanting the vascular prosthesis within the patient's vasculature including a
5 susceptible tissue site;
6 releasing at least one therapeutic capable agent.

1 17. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein releasing comprises
2 releasing at least one therapeutic capable agent is selected from the group consisting of
3 immunosuppressants, anti-inflammatories, anti-proliferatives, anti-migratory agents, anti-fibrotic
4 agents, proapoptotics, calcium channel blockers, anti-neoplastics, antibodies, anti-thrombotic
5 agents, anti-platelet agents, IIb/IIIa agents, antiviral agents, and a combination thereof.

1 18. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein releasing comprises
2 releasing at least one therapeutic capable agent is selected from the group consisting of
3 mycophenolic acid, mycophenolate mofetil, mizoribine, methylprednisolone, dexamethasone,
4 Certican™, rapamycin, Triptolide™, Methotrexate™, Benidipine™, Ascomycin™, Wortmannin™,
5 LY294002, Camptothecin™, Topotecan™, hydroxyurea, Tacrolimus™ (FK 506),
6 cyclophosphamide, cyclosporine, daclizumab, azathioprine, prednisone, Gemcitabine™,
7 derivatives and combinations thereof.

1 19. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 further comprising reducing smooth
2 muscle cell proliferation at the susceptible tissue site.

1 20. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein therapeutic capable agent
2 is released within a time period of about 1 day to about 200 days from the implanting of the
3 prosthesis.

1 21. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein therapeutic capable agent
2 is released within a time period of about 1 day to about 45 days from the implanting of the
3 prosthesis.

1 22. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 20 wherein therapeutic capable agent
2 is released within a time period of about 7 days to about 21 days from the implanting of the
3 prosthesis.

1 23. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 further comprising releasing at least
2 another compound.

1 24. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 23 wherein the another compound is
2 another therapeutic capable agent.

1 25. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 23 wherein the releasing comprising
2 releasing another compound selected from the group consisting of anti-cancer agents;
3 chemotherapeutic agents; thrombolytics; vasodilators; antimicrobials or antibiotics antimitotics;
4 growth factor antagonists; free radical scavengers; biologic agents; radiotherapeutic agents;
5 radiopaque agents; radiolabelled agents; anti-coagulants such as heparin and its derivatives; anti-
6 angiogenesis drugs; angiogenesis drugs; PDGF-B and/or EGF inhibitors; anti-inflammatories
7 including psoriasis drugs; anti-platelet agents including , cyclooxygenase inhibitors such as
8 acetylsalicylic acid, ADP inhibitors ticlopidine phosphodiesterase III inhibitors, glycoprotein
9 IIb/IIIa agents; eptifibatides, and adenosine reuptake inhibitors; healing and/or promoting agents
10 including anti-oxidants, nitrogen oxide donors; antiemetics; antinauseants; derivatives and
11 combinations thereof.

1 26. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 23 wherein the releasing comprises
2 releasing another compound selected from the group consisting of heparin and its derivatives;
3 Thalidomide™; riboflavin; tiazofurin; zafurin; acetylsalicylic acid, clopidogrel such as Plavix™,
4 ticlopidine such as ticlid™, cilostazol such as Pletal™, abciximab such as Rheopro™;

5 eptifibatide such as Integrilin™, dipyridmoles; NSAID, Taxol™, Actinomycine DTM;
6 derivatives and combinations thereof.

1 27. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 23 wherein the another compound is
2 an enabling compound.

1 28. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 23 wherein the another compound is
2 released prior to the therapeutic capable agent.

1 29. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 23, 24, 25, 26, or 27 wherein the
2 another compound is released concurrent with the therapeutic capable agent.

1 30. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 23, 24, 25, 26, or 27 wherein the
2 another compound is released sequentially with the therapeutic capable agent.

1 31. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a total amount ranging from about 0.1 ug to about 10 g.

1 32. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein the therapeutic capable
2 agent is released at a total amount ranging from about 0.1 ug to about 10 mg.

1 33. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein the therapeutic capable
2 agent is released at a total amount ranging from about 1 ug to about 2 mg.

1 34. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein the therapeutic capable
2 agent is released at a total amount ranging from about 1 ug to about 10 mg.

1 35. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein the therapeutic capable
2 agent is released at a total amount ranging from about 10 ug to about 2 mg.

1 36. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 wherein the therapeutic capable
2 agent is released at a total amount ranging from about 50 ug to about 1 mg.

1 37. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 16 further comprising administering a
2 second compound to the patient independent of that provided with the device.

1 38. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 37 wherein the second compound is
2 selected from the group consisting of compounds according to any of Claims 2, 3, 10, 11, and
3 combinations thereof.

1 39. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 38 wherein the second compound is
2 selected from the group consisting of ondansetron such as Zofran™, dronabinol such as
3 Marinol™, ganisetron.Hcl such as Kytril™, and combinations thereof.

1 40. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 37, 38, or 39 wherein administering
2 the second compound comprises orally, pulmonarily, systemically, transdermally, through any
3 bodily orifice, or any one or more combinations thereof.

1 41. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering prior to, concurrent with, or subsequent to, the
3 interventional procedure.

1 42. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering to the patient in a time period from about 200 days
3 prior to about 200 days after the interventional procedure.

1 43. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering to the patient in a time period from about 30 days
3 prior to about 30 days after the interventional procedure.

1 44. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering to the patient in a time period from about 1 day prior
3 to about 30 days after the interventional procedure.

1 45. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering to the patient in a time period from about 200 days
3 prior to about up to the interventional procedure.

1 46. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering to the patient in a time period from about 3 months
3 prior to about up to the interventional procedure.

1 47. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering to the patient in a time period from about 7 days to
3 about 24 hours prior to the interventional procedure.

1 48. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering an acute dose ranging from about 0.5 mg to about 5
3 g.

1 49. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering an acute dose ranging from about 1 mg to about 3 g.

1 50. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering an acute dose ranging from about 1 g to about 1.5 g.

1 51. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering an acute dose ranging from about 2 g to about 3 g.

1 52. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering a dose per day ranging from about 1 g to about 1.5 g.

1 53. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering a dose per day ranging from about 1 mg to about 3
3 mg.

1 54. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering a dose per day ranging from about 2 g to about 3 g.

1 55. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 40 wherein the administering the
2 second compound comprises administering a dose per day ranging from about 2 mg to about 6
3 mg.

1 56. (Withdrawn) A method for delivering a therapeutic capable agent to a
2 susceptible tissue site within a corporeal body, comprising:
3 positioning a source of the therapeutic capable agent within a vascular lumen;
4 releasing the therapeutic capable agent to the susceptible tissue site.

1 57. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 56 wherein the releasing comprises
2 releasing the therapeutic capable agent at a pre-determined time period following the position of
3 the source.

1 58. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 57 wherein the releasing comprising
2 delaying the release of the therapeutic capable agent for a sufficiently long period of time to
3 allow sufficient generation of intimal tissue to reduce occurrence of thrombotic event.

1 59. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 58 wherein the source comprises a
2 rate-controlling element.

1 60. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 59 wherein the releasing comprises
2 releasing the therapeutic capable agent by surface degradation or hydrolysis of the source.

1 61. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 59 wherein the releasing comprises
2 releasing the therapeutic capable agent by diffusion through the source.

1 62. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 59 wherein the therapeutic capable
2 agent is released by bulk degradation of the source.

1 63. (Withdrawn) A method for delivering a therapeutic capable agent to a
2 susceptible tissue site, comprising:
3 positioning a device comprising a structure and at least one source of at least one
4 therapeutic capable agent associated with the structure, at a targeted intracorporeal site within a
5 corporeal body;
6 releasing the therapeutic capable agent at the targeted intracorporeal site.

1 64. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 63 wherein the targeted intracorporeal
2 site includes a susceptible tissue site.

1 65. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 63 wherein the targeted intracorporeal
2 site supplies blood to a susceptible tissue site.

1 66. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 63 or 64 wherein the therapeutic
2 capable agent release reduces the smooth muscle cell proliferation.

1 67. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 66 wherein the device is positioned
2 within the corporeal body during a vascular intervention.

1 68. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 67 wherein the release of the
2 therapeutic capable agent is delayed for a predetermined period of time following the positioning
3 of the device within the corporeal body.

1 69. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 68 wherein the delay is sufficiently
2 long to allow sufficient generation of intimal tissue to reduce occurrence of thrombotic event.

1 70. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 63 or 64 wherein the corporeal body is
2 a body lumen.

1 71. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 63 or 64 wherein the corporeal body is
2 an organ.

1 72. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 63 or 64 further including directing
2 energy at the device to effect release of the therapeutic capable agent from the device.

1 73. (Withdrawn) The method of Claim 72 wherein the energy is at least one of
2 ultrasound, magnetic resonance imaging, magnetic field, radio frequency, temperature change,
3 electromagnetic, x-ray, heat, vibration, gamma radiation, microwave, or a combination thereof.

1 74. (Original) A device for intracorporeal use, comprising:
2 a structure; and
3 at lease one source of at least one therapeutic capable agent associated with the
4 structure.

1 75. (Original) The device of Claim 74 wherein the source is configured to
2 provide the at least one therapeutic capable agent to a targeted intracorporeal site within an
3 intracorporeal body.

1 76. (Original) The device of Claim 75 wherein the targeted intracorporeal site
2 comprises a body lumen.

1 77. (Original) The device of Claim 75 wherein the targeted intracorporeal site
2 comprises a body organ.

1 78. (Original) The device of Claim 75 wherein the device is configured for
2 implanting at the targeted intracorporeal site supplying blood to a susceptible tissue site.

1 79. (Original) The device of Claim 75 wherein the targeted intracorporeal site
2 includes a susceptible tissue site.

1 80. (Original) The device of Claim 75 or 76 wherein the device comprises a
2 vascular prosthesis.

1 81. (Original) The device of Claim 80 wherein the vascular prosthesis
2 comprises an expandable structure.

1 82. (Original) The device of Claim 81 wherein the vascular prosthesis
2 comprises a graft.

1 83. (Original) The device of Claim 81 wherein the vascular prosthesis
2 comprises a stent.

1 84. (Original) The device of Claim 83 wherein prosthesis comprises a
2 scaffold formed at least in part from an open lattice.

1 85. (Original) The device of Claim 75 wherein source is the therapeutic
2 capable agent.

1 86. (Original) The device of Claim 81 wherein the expandable structure has a
2 luminal and a tissue facing surface.

1 87. (Original) The device of Claim 86 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 is associated with the expandable structure on at least one of the expandable structure luminal or
3 tissue facing surfaces.

1 88. (Original) The device of Claim 86 wherein the expandable structure has
2 an interior.

1 89. (Original) The device of Claim 88 wherein therapeutic capable agent is
2 associated with the interior of the expandable structure.

1 90. (Original) The device of Claim 75 or 87 wherein the expandable structure
2 is formed from an at least partially degradable material.

1 91. (Original) The device of Claim 90 wherein the at least partially
2 degradable material is at least partially biodegradable.

1 92. (Original) The device of Claim 90 wherein the at least partially
2 biodegradable material comprises a metal or alloy degradable in the corporeal body.

1 93. (Original) The device of Claim 92 wherein the metal or alloy alloy
2 comprises stainless steel.

1 94. (Original) The device of Claim 93 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 is made available to the susceptible tissue site as the stainless steel degrades within the corporal
3 body over time.

1 95. (Original) The device of Claim 85 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 comprises a polymeric material formed at least in part from therapeutic capable agent.

1 96. (Original) The device of Claim 95 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 units are disassociated in the corporeal body.

1 97. (Original) The device of Claim 95 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 units are disassociated in a vascular environment.

1 98. (Original) The device of Claim 95 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 units are disassociated over time.

1 99. (Original) The device of Claim 85 wherein the source is a polymeric
2 material including the therapeutic capable units associated with a polymeric backbone.

1 100. (Original) The device of Claim 85 wherein the source is a polymeric
2 material including the therapeutic capable units associated with a metallic backbone.

1 101. (Original) The device of Claim 74 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable at release rate.

1 102. (Original) The device of Claim 101 wherein the rate provides a
2 sustainable level of therapeutic capable agent to the susceptible tissue site.

1 103. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 101 wherein the rate is substantially
2 constant.

1 104. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 101 wherein the rate decreases over
2 time.

1 105. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 101 wherein the rate increases over
2 time.

1 106. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 101 wherein the rate includes a
2 substantially non-release period.

1 107. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 101 wherein the release rate is pre-
2 defined.

1 108. (Original) The device of Claim 101 wherein the release rate includes a
2 plurality of rates.

1 109. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 108 wherein the plurality of rates
2 includes at least two rates selected from the group consisting of substantially constant,
3 decreasing, increasing, substantially non-releasing.

1 110. (Original) The device of Claim 87 wherein the source is disposed adjacent
2 at least one of the luminal or tissue facing surfaces of the expandable structure.

1 111. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 110 wherein the source comprises a
2 matrix including the therapeutic capable agent.

1 112. (Original) The device of Claim 75 or 81 further including a rate-
2 controlling element.

1 113. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 112 wherein the source comprises the
2 rate-controlling element.

1 114. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 112 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element is disposed adjacent at least a portion of the source.

1 115. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 114 wherein at a least a portion of the
2 rate-controlling element forms a matrix with the therapeutic capable agent.

1 116. (Original) The device of Claim 114 wherein the rate-controlling element
2 forms the outer most layer of the device.

1 117. (Original) The device of Claim 112 wherein the rate-controlling element
2 is disposed adjacent at least a portion of the expandable structure.

1 118. (Original) The device of Claim 112, 113, 114, 116, or 117 wherein the
2 rate-controlling element is formed from a material selected from the group consisting of
3 polymeric, metallics, bioactive compounds, and non-bioactive compounds.

1 119. (Original) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling element
2 material comprises a polymeric material.

1 120. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 119 further comprising a second rate-
2 controlling element disposed adjacent at least a portion of the first rate-controlling element.

1 121. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element is formed from a biodegradable material.

1 122. (Original) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling element
2 is formed from a material selected from the group consisting of poly(lactic acid), poly(glycolic
3 acid) and copolymers, poly dioxanone, poly (ethyl glutamate), poly (hydroxybutyrate),
4 polyhydroxyvalerate and copolymers, polycaprolactone, polyanhydride, poly(ortho esters); poly
5 (iminocarbonates), polycyanoacrylates, polyphosphazenes, copolymers and other aliphatic
6 polyesters, or suitable copolymers thereof including copolymers of poly-L-lactic acid and poly-e-
7 caprolactone; mixtures, copolymers, and combinations thereof.

1 123. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 121 wherein the therapeutic capable
2 agent is released by surface degradation or hydrolysis of the rate-controlling element.

1 124. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 121 wherein the therapeutic capable
2 agent is released by bulk degradation of the rate-controlling element.

1 125. (Original) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling element
2 is formed from a non-biodegradable or slow degrading material.

1 126. (Original) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling element
2 is formed from a material selected from the group consisting of polyurethane, polyethylenes
3 imine, cellulose acetate butyrate, ethylene vinyl alcohol copolymer, silicone,
4 polytetrafluorethylene (PTFE), parylene, parylast, poly (methyl methacrylate butyrate), poly-N-
5 butyl methacrylate, poly (methyl methacrylate), poly 2-hydroxy ethyl methacrylate, poly
6 ethylene glycol methacrylates, poly vinyl chloride, poly(dimethyl siloxane),
7 poly(tetrafluoroethylene), poly (ethylene oxide), poly ethylene vinyl acetate, poly carbonate,
8 poly acrylamide gels, N-vinyl-2-pyrrolidone, maleic anhydride, Nylon, cellulose acetate
9 butyrate (CAB) and the like, including other synthetic or natural polymeric substances; mixtures,
10 copolymers, and combinations thereof.

1 127. (Original) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling element
2 is formed from a material selected from the group consisting of silicone, polytetrafluoroethylene,
3 parylast, polyurethane, parylene, cellulose acetate butyrate; mixtures, copolymers and
4 combinations thereof.

1 128. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element is formed from a natural material.

1 129. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element is formed from a material selected from the group consisting of fibrin, albumin,
3 collagen, gelatin, glycosoaminoglycans, chondroitin, oligosaccharides & poly saccharides,
4 phosholipids, phosphorylcholine, glycolipids, proteins, amino acids, cellulose, and mixtures,
5 copolymers, or combinations thereof.

1 130. (Original) The device of Claim 125 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 is released by diffusion through the rate-controlling element.

1 131. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element comprises a metallic material.

1 132. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element is formed from a material selected from the group consisting titanium, chromium,
3 Nitinol, gold, stainless steel, alloys, and combinations thereof.

1 133. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 132 wherein the metals or alloys are at
2 least two and having different galvanic potential.

1 134. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element includes a plurality of layers.

1 135. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 134 wherein at least one of the rate-
2 controlling element plurality of layers includes the therapeutic capable agent.

1 136. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 135 wherein the layers other than the at
2 least one layer includes the same or a different therapeutic capable agent.

1 137. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 86 wherein the source is a reservoir
2 disposed adjacent the expandable structure.

1 138. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 137 wherein the reservoir is at least
2 partially on an exterior of the expandable structure.

1 139. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 137 wherein the reservoir is at least
2 partially in the interior of the expandable structure.

1 140. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 137 wherein the reservoir is at least
2 partially on either or both the luminal and the tissue facing surfaces of the expandable structure.

1 141. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 137 wherein the reservoir is at least
2 partially in the expandable structure.

1 142. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 138 or 139 wherein a rate-controlling
2 element is disposed at least partially adjacent the reservoir.

1 143. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 140 or 141 wherein a rate-controlling
2 element is disposed at least partially over the reservoir.

1 144. (Withdrawn) The device of 113 or 115 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element has thickness ranging from about 10 nm to about 100 um.

1 145. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 144 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element has thickness ranging from about 50 nm to about 100 um.

1 146. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 144 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element has thickness ranging from about 100 nm to about 50 um.

1 147. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 144 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element has thickness ranging from about 100 nm to about 10 um.

1 148. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 144 wherein the device further
2 comprises a bio-compatible outer layer.

1 149. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 148 wherein the bio-compatible layer is
2 formed from a material consisting of polyethylene glycol, polyethylene oxide, hydrogels,
3 silicone, polyurethanes, heparin, and combinations thereof.

1 150. (Original) A device for intracorporeal use, comprising:
2 an expandable member having at least one of luminal and tissue facing surfaces;
3 and
4 at lease one source of at least one therapeutic capable agent disposed adjacent at
5 least one of the luminal or tissue facing surfaces.

1 151. (Original) The device of Claim 150 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 comprises at least one agent selected from the group consisting of immunosuppressants, anti-
3 inflammatories, anti-proliferatives, anti-migratory agents, anti-fibrotic agents, proapoptotics,
4 calcium channel blockers, anti-neoplastics, antibodies, anti-thrombotic agents, anti-platelet
5 agents, IIb/IIIa agents, antiviral agents, and a combination thereof.

1 152. (Original) The device of Claim 151 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 has more than one therapeutic effect.

1 153. (Original) The device of Claim 152 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 has anti-inflammatory and immunosuppressant effects.

1 154. (Original) The device of Claim 152 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 has anti-inflammatory and anti-proliferative effects.

1 155. (Original) The device of Claim 152 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 has immunosuppressants and anti-proliferative effects.

1 156. (Original) The device of Claim 152 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 has immunosuppressive, anti-proliferative, and anti-inflammatory effects.

1 157. (Original) The device of Claim 151 wherein the therapeutic capable agent
2 is at least one agent selected from the group consisting of mycophenolic acid, mycophenolate
3 mofetil, mizoribine, methylprednisolone, dexamethasone, Certican™, rapamycin, Triptolide™,
4 Methotrexate™, Benidipine™, Ascomycin™, Wortmannin™, LY294002, Camptothecin™,
5 Topotecan™, hydroxyurea, Tacrolimus™ (FK 506), cyclophosphamide, cyclosporine,
6 daclizumab, azathioprine, prednisone, Gemcitabine™, derivatives and combinations thereof.

1 158. (Original) The device of Claim 151 or 157 wherein the at least one agent
2 includes an active compound, the pro-drug of the active compound, a metabolite of the active
3 compound, a derivative of the active compound, or a combination thereof.

1 159. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 150 wherein source further includes
2 another compound.

1 160. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 159 wherein another compound is
2 another therapeutic capable agent.

1 161. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 159 wherein the another compound is
2 an enabling compound.

1 162. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 159 wherein the another compound is
2 selected from the group consisting of anti-cancer agents; chemotherapeutic agents;
3 thrombolytics; vasodilators; antimicrobials or antibiotics antimitotics; growth factor antagonists;
4 free readical scavengers; biologic agents; radiotherapeutic agents; radiopaque agents;
5 radiolabelled agents; anti-coagulants such as heparin and its derivatives; anti-angiogenesis drugs;

6 angiogenesis drugs; PDGF-B and/or EGF inhibitors; anti-inflammatories including psoriasis drugs;
7 anti-platelet agents including , cyclooxygenase inhibitors such as acetylsalicylic acid, ADP
8 inhibitors ticlopidine phosphodiesterase III inhibitors, glycoprotein IIb/IIIa agents; eptifibatides,
9 and adenosine reuptake inhibitors; healing and/or promoting agents including anti-oxidants,
10 nitrogen oxide donors; antiemetics; antinauseants; derivatives and combinations thereof.

1 163. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 159 wherein the another compound is
2 selected from the group consisting of heparin and its derivatives; Thalidomide™; riboflavin;
3 tiazofurin; zafurin; acetylsalicylic acid, clopidogrel such as Plavix™, ticlopidine such as
4 ticlid™, cilostazol such as Pletal™, abciximab such as Rheopro™; eptifibatide such as
5 Integrilin™, dipyridmoles; NSAID, Taxol™, Actinomycine DTM; derivatives and
6 combinations thereof.

1 164. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 159 wherein the another compound is
2 selected from the group consisting of NSAID, Taxol™, Actinomycine DTM.

1 165. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 159 wherein the another compound is a
2 magnetic particle.

1 166. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 151, 157, 158, or 161 wherein the
2 device is configured to release the therapeutic capable agent in response to an external source of
3 energy.

1 167. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 166 wherein the external source of
2 energy is ultrasound, magnetic resonance imaging, magnetic field, radio frequency, temperature
3 change, electromagnetic, x-ray, heat, vibration, gamma radiation, microwave, or a combination
4 thereof.

1 168. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 166 wherein the external source of
2 energy is a magnetic field.

1 169. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 159 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the another compound prior to, concurrent with, or subsequent to the release of the
3 therapeutic capable agent.

1 170. (Original) The device of Claim 150, 157, or 158 wherein the device is
2 configured to release the therapeutic capable agent in an intracorporeal body.

1 171. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a rate between about 0.001 ug to about 200 ug/day.

1 172. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a rate between about 0.5 ug to about 200 ug/day.

1 173. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a rate between about 1 ug to about 100 ug/day.

1 174. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a rate between about 10 ug to about 60 ug/day.

1 175. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a rate between about 1 ug to about 60 ug/day.

1 176. (Original) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at different phases.

1 177. (Original) The device of Claim 176 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having a lower rate of release than a
3 subsequent phase.

1 178. (Original) The device of Claim 176 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having a higher rate of release than a
3 subsequent phase.

1 179. (Original) The device of Claim 177 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 0 to about 99% of a subsequent rate of release of a subsequent phase.

1 180. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 177 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 0 to about 90% of a subsequent rate of release of a subsequent phase.

1 181. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 177 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 0 to about 75% of a subsequent rate of release of a subsequent phase.

1 182. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 177 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 0 to about 50% of a subsequent rate of release of a subsequent phase.

1 183. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 177 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 0 to about 50 ug/day, and a subsequent phase having a subsequent rate of release
4 ranging from about 0.01 ug to about 200 ug/day.

1 184. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 177 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 0.001 to about 50 ug/day, and a subsequent phase having a subsequent rate of release
4 ranging from about 0.01 ug to about 200 ug/day.

1 185. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 177 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 0.1 to about 30 ug/day, and a subsequent phase having a subsequent rate of release
4 ranging from about 0.01 ug to about 200 ug/day.

1 186. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 177 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 1 to about 20 ug/day, and a subsequent phase having a subsequent rate of release
4 ranging from about 0.01 ug to about 200 ug/day.

1 187. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 177 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 0.1 to about 30 ug/day, and a subsequent phase having a subsequent rate of release
4 ranging from about 1.0 ug to about 100 ug/day.

1 188. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 180 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 10 to about 300 ug/day, and a subsequent phase having a subsequent rate of release
4 ranging from about 0.1 to about 100 ug/day.

1 189. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 178 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 40 to about 300 ug/day, and a subsequent phase having a subsequent rate of release
4 ranging from about 0.5 to 40 ug/day.

1 190. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 178 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 40 to about 200 ug/day, and a subsequent phase having a subsequent rate of release
4 ranging from about 10 to 40 ug/day.

1 191. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 178 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at an initial phase having an initial rate of release ranging
3 from about 40 to about 200 ug/day, and a subsequent phase having a subsequent rate of release
4 ranging from about 0.5 to 40 ug/day.

1 192. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a substantially constant rate ranging from about 0.01 ug
3 to 200 ug/day.

1 193. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a total amount ranging from about 0.1 ug to about 10 g.

1 194. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a total amount ranging from about 0.1 ug to about 10 mg.

1 195. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a total amount ranging from about 1 ug to about 2 mg.

1 196. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a total amount ranging from about 10 ug to about 2 mg.

1 197. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a total amount ranging from about 50 ug to about 1 mg.

1 198. (Original) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 deliver the therapeutic capable agent at a phase to a susceptible tissue site of a mammalian
3 intracorporeal body to effectuate a mammalian tissue concentration ranging from about 0.001 ng
4 of therapeutic capable agent / mg of tissue to about 100 ug of therapeutic capable agent / mg of
5 tissue.

1 199. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 deliver the therapeutic capable agent at a phase to a susceptible tissue site of a mammalian
3 intracorporeal body to effectuate a mammalian tissue concentration ranging from about 1 ng of
4 therapeutic capable agent / mg of tissue to about 100 ug of therapeutic capable agent / mg of
5 tissue.

1 200. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 deliver the therapeutic capable agent at a phase to a susceptible tissue site of a mammalian
3 intracorporeal body to effectuate a mammalian tissue concentration ranging from about 1 ng of
4 therapeutic capable agent / mg of tissue to about 10 ug of therapeutic capable agent / mg of
5 tissue.

1 201. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 158 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a phase to a mammalian intracorporeal body to effectuate
3 a mammalian blood concentration ranging from about 1 ng of therapeutic capable agent / ml of
4 blood to about 50 ug of therapeutic capable agent / ml of blood.

1 202. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a phase to a mammalian intracorporeal body to effectuate
3 a mammalian blood concentration ranging from about 1 ng of therapeutic capable agent / ml of
4 blood to about 20 ug of therapeutic capable agent / ml of blood.

1 203. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a phase to a mammalian intracorporeal body to effectuate
3 a mammalian blood concentration ranging from about 2 ng of therapeutic capable agent / ml of
4 blood to about 12 ug of therapeutic capable agent / ml of blood.

1 204. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 201, 202, or 203 wherein the phase is
2 within the first 24 hours after the implantation of the device in the mammalian intracorporeal
3 body.

1 205. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 201, 202, or 203 wherein the
2 concentration is a peak concentration.

1 206. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 198 or 199 wherein the phase is a first
2 phase.

1 207. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 206 wherein the device is configured to
2 deliver the therapeutic capable agent at a second phase to the susceptible tissue site of the
3 mammalian intracorporeal body to effectuate a mammalian tissue concentration of the
4 therapeutic capable agent ranging from about 0.001 ng of therapeutic capable agent / mg of
5 tissue to about 100 ug of therapeutic capable agent / mg of tissue.

1 208. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 207 wherein the tissue concentration
2 ranges from about 1 ng of therapeutic capable agent / mg of tissue to about 10 ug of therapeutic
3 capable agent /mg of tissue.

1 209. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein device is configured to
2 release the therapeutic capable agent at a substantially constant rate ranging from about 0.01 ug
3 to 200 ug/day.

1 210. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176 wherein device is configured to
2 deliver the therapeutic capable agent at an initial and a subsequent phase.

1 211. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176 wherein at the initial phase the
2 release of the therapeutic capable agent is delayed.

1 212. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 initial phase is configured to last less than about 24 weeks.

1 213. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 initial phase is configured to last less than about 12 weeks.

1 214. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 initial phase is configured to last from about 1 hour to about 24 weeks.

1 215. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 initial phase is configured to last from about 1 hour to about 8 weeks.

1 216. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 initial phase is configured to last from about 12 hours to about 2 weeks.

1 217. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 initial phase is configured to last from about 1 day to about 1 week.

1 218. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 subsequent phase is configured to last from about 4 hours to about 8 weeks.

1 219. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 subsequent phase is configured to last from about 1 hour to about 8 weeks.

1 220. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 subsequent phase is configured to last from about 1 hour to about 12 weeks.

1 221. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176, or 211 wherein the duration of the
2 subsequent phase is configured to last from about 1 hour to about 1 day.

1 222. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176 wherein the duration of the
2 subsequent phase is configured to last from about 1 day to about 12 weeks.

1 223. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176 wherein the duration of the
2 subsequent phase is configured to last from about 2 days to about 8 weeks.

1 224. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176 wherein the duration of the
2 subsequent phase is configured to last from about 3 days to about 50 weeks.

1 225. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 176 wherein the duration of the
2 subsequent phase is configured to last from about 3 days to about 30 days.

1 226. (Original) The device of Claim 178 wherein the duration of the initial
2 phase is configured to last from about 1 day to about 7 days.

1 227. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 178 wherein the duration of the initial
2 phase is configured to last from about 1 day to about 30 days.

1 228. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 178 wherein the duration of the
2 subsequent phase is configured to last from about 2 days to about 45 days.

1 229. (Original) The device of Claim 226 wherein the device is configured to
2 deliver the therapeutic capable agent at the initial phase to a susceptible tissue site of a
3 mammalian intracorporal body to effectuate a mammalian tissue concentration of the therapeutic
4 capable agent ranging from about 10 ng / mg to about 100 ug / mg.

1 230. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 228 wherein the device is configured to
2 deliver the therapeutic capable agent at the initial phase to a susceptible tissue site of a
3 mammalian intracorporal body to effectuate a mammalian tissue concentration of the therapeutic
4 capable agent ranging from about 10 ng / mg to about 100 ug / mg.

1 231. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 170 wherein the device is configured to
2 have a termination phase delivering the therapeutic capable agent to a mammalian intracorporeal
3 body at a rate less than a rate of clearance the intracorporeal body of the therapeutic capable
4 agent.

1 232. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 231 wherein the termination phase has
2 a duration of about 14 days.

1 233. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 231 wherein the rate of clearance is
2 about 1 ng to about 100 ng per mg of tissue per day.

1 234. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 231 wherein the rate of clearance is
2 about 80 ng per mg of tissue per day.

1 235. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 231 wherein the rate of clearance is
2 about 10 ng per mg of tissue per day.

1 236. (Original) The device of Claim 150 wherein the source is associated with
2 the expandable structure by coating, spraying, dipping, vapor deposition, plasma deposition, or
3 painting of the source onto or in the expandable structure.

1 237. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 236 wherein the source is mixed in a
2 solvent selected from the group consisting of methanol, DMSO, CO₂.

1 238. (Withdrawn) A device for intracorporeal use, comprising:
2 an expandable structure;
3 a source of therapeutic capable agent disposed adjacent the expandable structure,
4 and including a plurality of rate-controlling element layers at least one of which comprises
5 parylast or parylene, each layer having a thickness in a range from about 50 nm to 10 microns.

1 239. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 238 wherein the expandable structure
2 includes at least one of luminal or tissue facing surfaces.

1 240. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 239 wherein the source is disposed
2 adjacent either or both the at least one of luminal or tissue facing surfaces.

1 241. (Original) A device for intracorporeal use, comprising:
2 an expandable structure having luminal and tissue facing surfaces;
3 a source of therapeutic capable agent disposed adjacent at least one of the luminal
4 or tissue facing surfaces; and
5 a rate-controlling element disposed adjacent the source.

1 242. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 241 further comprising a matrix
2 interface between the source and the rate-controlling element.

1 243. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 241 wherein the source and the rate-
2 controlling element form a matrix.

1 244. (Currently Amended) An intracorporeal device for delivering at least one
2 therapeutic capable agents to a targeted area in a corporeal body, comprising:
3 an expandable structure having luminal and tissue facing surfaces;
4 a source of therapeutic capable agent disposed adjacent the expandable structure
5 and configured to delay the release of the therapeutic capable.

1 245. (Original) The device of Claim 244 wherein the delay is sufficiently long
2 to allow the formation of sufficient amount of cellularization at the susceptible tissue site.

1 246. (Original) The device of Claim 244 wherein the delay is sufficiently long
2 to allow the formation of sufficient amount of cellularization on the device.

1 247. (Original) The device of Claim 244 wherein the delay is sufficiently long
2 to allow the formation of sufficient amount of cellularization at the susceptible tissue site and on
3 the device.

1 248. (Original) The device of Claim 244 wherein the delay is sufficiently long
2 to allow the formation of sufficient amount of endothelization at the susceptible tissue site.

1 249. (Original) The device of Claim 244 wherein the delay is sufficiently long
2 to allow the formation of sufficient amount of endothelization on the device.

1 250. (Original) The device of Claim 244 wherein the delay is sufficiently long
2 to allow the formation of sufficient amount of endotheliazation at the susceptible tissue site and
3 on the device.

1 251. (Original) The device of Claim 244 wherein the delay is sufficiently long
2 to allow the formation of sufficient amount of fibrin deposition at the susceptible tissue site.

1 252. (Original) The device of Claim 244 wherein the delay is sufficiently long
2 to allow the formation of sufficient amount of fibrin deposition on the device.

1 253. (Original) The device of Claim 244 wherein the delay is sufficiently long
2 to allow the formation of sufficient amount of fibrin deposition at the susceptible tissue site and
3 on the device.

1 254. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 244 wherein the source comprises a
2 rate-controlling element disposed adjacent the expandable structure.

1 255. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 244 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element forms a matrix with the therapeutic capable agent.

1 256. (Withdrawn) The device of Claim 244 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element forms a matrix with the therapeutic capable agent.

1 257. (Withdrawn) A kit for providing a therapeutic capable agent to a
2 susceptible tissue site including:
3 a device according to any one of Claims 74, 150, 238, or 241; and
4 a second compound.

1 258. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 257 wherein second compound is selected
2 from the group consisting of compounds according to any of Claims 151, 157, 162, 163, 164;
3 and combinations thereof.

1 259. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 257 wherein the second compound is an
2 antiemetics or an antinauseants.

1 260. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 259 wherein anti-nausea compound is
2 selected from the group consisting of ondansetron such as Zofran™, dronabinol such as
3 Marinol™, ganisetron.Hcl such as Kytril™, and combinations thereof.

1 261. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 257 wherein the second compound is
2 another therapeutic capable agent according to Claim 151 or 157.

1 262. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 257 wherein the second therapeutic capable
2 agent is the same as the therapeutic capable agent of the device.

1 263. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 257, 259, 261, or 262 wherein the second
2 compound is administerable to a patient having the susceptible tissue site orally, pulmonarily,
3 systemically, transdermally, through any bodily orifices, or any combinations thereof.

1 264. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 263 wherein the second compound is
2 administerable to the patient prior to, concurrent with, or subsequent to an interventional
3 procedure.

1 265. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 263 wherein the second compound is
2 provided in a dosage ranging from about 0.5 mg to about 5g.

1 266. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 264 wherein the second compound is
2 administerable to the patient in a time period from about 200 days to about 200 days after the
3 interventional procedure.

1 267. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 264 wherein the second compound is
2 administerable to the patient in a time period from about 30 days to about 30 days after the
3 interventional procedure.

1 268. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 264 wherein the second compound is
2 administerable to the patient in a time period from about 1 day to about 30 days after the
3 interventional procedure.

1 269. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 264 wherein the second compound is
2 administerable to the patient in a time period from about 200 days to about up to the
3 interventional procedure.

1 270. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 264 wherein the second compound is
2 administerable to the patient in a time period from about 3 months to about up to the
3 interventional procedure.

1 271. (Withdrawn) The kit of Claim 264 wherein the bioactive compound is
2 administerable to the patient in a time period from about 7 days to about 24 hours prior to an
3 interventional procedure.

1 272. (Previously Added) The device of Claim 118 wherein the rate-controlling
2 element comprises parylast or parylene.

1 273. (Previously Added) A device for intracorporeal use, comprising:
2 an expandable structure;
3 a source of therapeutic capable agent disposed adjacent the expandable structure,
4 and at least one rate-controlling element layer comprising parylast or parylene with a thickness in
5 a range from about 50 nm to 10 microns.